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Dear Commissioner Newman,

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor

Phoenix, AZ 85007

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Thousands of Arizonans are out of work.

There have been no Social Security COLA increases for two years.

The costs of food and gasoline are way up.

Many Arizonans are struggling to make ends meet.

Now is not the time to raise our combined gas and electric rates an average of \$175 a year.

I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Linda Moroney

Tucson, AZ 85747-5111

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I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Ms. Lynn Murphy

Tucson, AZ 85715-6809

Aug 9, 2011

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Commissioner Newman,

APS and Southwest Gas together are asking for your approval to raise average home utility costs almost \$175 a year.

Please do not approve the APS and Southwest Gas requests.

Now is not the time for an average \$175 a year increase. Thousands of Arizonans are out of work and are struggling to make ends meet. There have been no Social Security COLA increases for two years. The costs of food and gasoline have also gone up.

I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Ms. Rosanne Couston

Tucson, AZ 85745-1668

Aug 1, 2011

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Commissioner Newman,

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I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of $$175\ a$ year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mr. James McQuinn

Yuma, AZ 85365-4750

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Commissioner Newman,

APS and Southwest Gas together are asking for your approval to raise average home utility costs almost \$175 a year.

Please do not approve the APS and Southwest Gas requests.

Now is not the time for an average \$175 a year increase.

Thousands of Arizonans are out of work.

The costs of food and gasoline are way up.

Many Arizonans are struggling to make ends meet.

Now is not the time to raise our combined gas and electric rates an average of \$175\$ a year.

We can barely afford to keep our homes, no more higher prices on necessities like utilities, please!!!!!

I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of $$175\ a$ year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mrs. cheryl silva

queen creek, AZ 85142

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

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I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of $$175\ a}$ year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Ms. Sherry Bois

Avondale, AZ 85323-8288

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Commissioner Newman,

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Please do not approve the APS and Southwest Gas requests.

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The costs of food and gasoline are way up.

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I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Michele Jones

Surprise, AZ 85379-8702

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Commissioner Newman,

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Please do not approve the APS and Southwest Gas requests.

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Many Arizonans are struggling to make ends meet.

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I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Jennie Cacciotti

Cave Creek, AZ 85331-8221

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Commissioner Newman,

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There have been no Social Security COLA increases for two years.

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Many Arizonans are struggling to make ends meet.

Now is not the time to raise our combined gas and electric rates an average of \$175\$ a year.

I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Melody Scott

Phoenix, AZ 85027

Jul 30, 2011

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Commissioner Newman,

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Please do not approve the APS and Southwest Gas requests.

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There have been no Social Security COLA increases for two years.

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I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mrs. lourosa inzauro

Goodyear, AZ 85338-2744

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Commissioner Newman,

APS and Southwest Gas together are asking for your approval to raise average home utility costs almost \$175 a year.

Please do not approve the APS and Southwest Gas requests.

Now is not the time for an average \$175 a year increase.

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There have been no Social Security COLA increases for two years.

The costs of food and gasoline are way up.

Many Arizonans are struggling to make ends meet.

Now is not the time to raise our combined gas and electric rates an average of $$175\ a\ year.$

Thank you for your consideration. Please let ${\tt me}\ {\tt know}\ {\tt how}\ {\tt you}\ {\tt plan}\ {\tt to}\ {\tt vote}\ {\tt on}\ {\tt these}\ {\tt matters}.$

I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mr. Timothy Schmaltz

Phoenix, AZ 85053-4643

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Commissioner Newman,

APS and Southwest Gas together are asking for your approval to raise average home utility costs almost \$175 a year.

Please do not approve the APS and Southwest Gas requests.

Please stop the corporate insanity!!!!

There have been no Social Security COLA increases for two years.

The costs of food and gasoline are way up.

Many Arizonans are struggling to make ends meet.

Now is not the time to raise our combined gas and electric rates an average of \$175 a year.

I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Mary Ashley

Phoenix, AZ 85053-5689

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Commissioner Newman,

APS and Southwest Gas together are asking for your approval to raise average home utility costs almost \$175 a year.

Please do not approve the APS and Southwest Gas requests.

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There have been no Social Security COLA increases for two years.

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Many Arizonans are struggling to make ends meet.

Now is not the time to raise our combined gas and electric rates an average of \$175 a year.

I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Anna Goya

Phoenix, AZ 85019-1718

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

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Please do not approve the APS and Southwest Gas requests.

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There have been no Social Security COLA increases for two years.

The costs of food and gasoline are way up.

Many Arizonans are struggling to make ends meet.

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I'm having a hard time paying my monthly bill now. Please, no more.

I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Ms. Linda Shumway

Tucson. AZ 85705-1303

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

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Many Arizonans are struggling to make ends meet.

Now is not the time to raise our combined gas and electric rates an average of \$175 a year. WE HAD NO GAS DURING THE LAST WINTER WHEN S W GAS SHUT OFF IN SIERRA VISTA . WE SHOULD BE GETTING MONEY BACK NOT PAYING MORE .

I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mr. rey elzy

sierra viata, AZ 85650 (520) 378-3331

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

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I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Barbara Jones

Goodyear, AZ 85338-1267 N/A

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Commissioner Newman,

APS and Southwest Gas together are asking for your approval to raise average home utility costs almost \$175 a year.

Please do not approve the APS and Southwest Gas requests.

Thousands of Arizonans are out of work. For those receiving Social Security benefits, there have been no Social Security COLA increases for two years. The costs of food and gasoline are way up. Az American Water also wants to raise their rates 70+%. This is all too much as many Arizonans are struggling to make ends meet.

Now is not the time to raise our combined gas and electric rates an average of \$175 a year.

I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Ms. Linda Childress

Surprise, AZ 85388-7663

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

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I'm counting on you, as an elected Commissioner.

Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of \$175 a year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mr. John Arnold

Glendale, AZ 85310-4171

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

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Sincerely,

Ms. Mary Jane Cleeland

Cornville, AZ 86325-4879

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

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Sincerely,

Ms. PAULA MARTIN

Peoria, AZ 85345-6299

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

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Sincerely,

Mrs. karen bovee

Sun City, AZ 85373-1234

Jul 25, 2011

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

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Please vote NO on the requests to raise our rates an average of $$175\ a$ year.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Ms. Renny McGovern

Phoenix, AZ 85053-2711

Jennifer Ybarra

From:

AARP Arizona [aarpaz@aarp.org] on behalf of Renny McGovern [removed-3239241-2011-06-29t07-54-08z@aarp.org]

Sent:

Monday, July 25, 2011 10:30 AM

To:

Newman-Web

Subject:

Please Do Not Raise Our Utility Costs An Average of \$175 A Year.

Jul 25, 2011

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Commissioner Newman,

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

Ms. Renny McGovern

Phoenix, AZ 85053-2711

Jul 22, 2011

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mr. Stephen Jennings

Phoenix, AZ 85003-1024

Jennifer Ybarra

From:

AARP Arizona [aarpaz@aarp.org] on behalf of Stephen Jennings [zamadablam@gmail.com]

Sent:

Friday, July 22, 2011 8:53 AM

To:

Newman-Web

Subject:

Please Do Not Raise Our Utility Costs An Average of \$175 A Year.

Jul 22, 2011

Commissioner Paul Newman 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, AZ 85007

Dear Commissioner Newman,

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Sincerely,

Mr. Stephen Jennings

Phoenix, AZ 85003-1024